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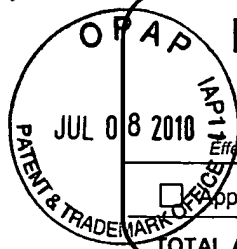
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity |          | Small Entity |          | Fee Description        | Fee Paid |
|--------------|----------|--------------|----------|------------------------|----------|
| Fee Code     | Fee (\$) | Fee Code     | Fee (\$) |                        |          |
| 1011         | 330      | 2011         | 165      | Utility filing fee     |          |
| 1012         | 220      | 2012         | 110      | Design filing fee      |          |
| 1013         | 220      | 2013         | 110      | Plant filing fee       |          |
| 1014         | 330      | 2014         | 165      | Reissue filing fee     |          |
| 1005         | 220      | 2005         | 110      | Provisional filing fee |          |

SUBTOTAL (1)

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### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

| Total Claims | Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
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| Large Entity |          | Small Entity |          | Fee Description  |
|--------------|----------|--------------|----------|--|
| Fee Code     | Fee (\$) | Fee Code     | Fee (\$) |  |
| 1202         | 52       | 2202         | 26       | Claims in excess of 20                                     |
| 1201         | 220      | 2201         | 110      | Independent claims in excess of 3                          |
| 1203         | 390      | 2203         | 195      | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                      |
| 1204         | 220      | 2204         | 110      | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
| 1205         | 52       | 2205         | 26       | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

SUBTOTAL (2)

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\*\*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Large Entity |          | Small Entity |          | Fee Description  | Fee Paid |
|--------------|----------|--------------|----------|--|----------|
| Fee Code     | Fee (\$) | Fee Code     | Fee (\$) |  |          |
| 1051         | 130      | 2051         | 65       | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  |          |
| 1052         | 50       | 2052         | 25       | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet                     |          |
| 1053         | 130      | 1053         | 130      | Non-English specification  |          |
| 1812         | 2,520    | 1812         | 2,520    | For filing a request for reexamination                                     |          |
| 1804         | 920*     | 1804         | 920*     | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |          |
| 1805         | 1,840*   | 1805         | 1,840*   | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 1251         | 130      | 2251         | 65       | Extension for reply within first month                                     |          |
| 1252         | 490      | 2252         | 245      | Extension for reply within second month                                    |          |
| 1253         | 1,110    | 2253         | 555      | Extension for reply within third month                                     |          |
| 1254         | 1,730    | 2254         | 865      | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |          |
| 1255         | 2,350    | 2255         | 1,175    | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |          |
| 1401         | 540      | 2401         | 270      | Notice of Appeal   |          |
| 1402         | 540      | 2402         | 270      | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 1403         | 1,080    | 2403         | 540      | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 1452         | 540      | 2452         | 270      | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
| 1453         | 1,620    | 2453         | 810      | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
| 1462         | 400      | 1462         | 400      | Petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17(f)  |          |
| 1463         | 200      | 1463         | 200      | Petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17(g)  |          |
| 1464         | 130      | 1464         | 130      | Petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17(h)  |          |
| 1807         | 50       | 1807         | 50       | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)                                       |          |
| 1806         | 180      | 1806         | 180      | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt                                  |          |
| 8021         | 40       | 8021         | 40       | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) |          |
| 1809         | 810      | 2809         | 405      | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))              |          |
| 1810         | 810      | 2810         | 405      | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))           |          |
| 1801         | 810      | 2801         | 405      | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    |          |

Other fee (specify) Deficiency

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### 4. SEARCH/EXAMINATION FEES

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|------|-----|------|-----|-------------------------|--|
| 1111 | 540 | 2111 | 270 | Utility Search Fee      |  |
| 1112 | 100 | 2112 | 50  | Design Search Fee       |  |
| 1113 | 330 | 2113 | 165 | Plant Search Fee        |  |
| 1114 | 540 | 2114 | 270 | Reissue Search Fee      |  |
| 1311 | 220 | 2311 | 110 | Utility Examination Fee |  |
| 1312 | 140 | 2312 | 70  | Design Examination Fee  |  |
| 1313 | 170 | 2313 | 85  | Plant Examination Fee   |  |
| 1314 | 650 | 2314 | 325 | Reissue Examination Fee |  |

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